

REPORTS

—OF—

Selectmen, Treasurer,

—AND—

Superintending School Committee

—OF THE—

TOWN OF SALEM,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 28th, 1882.

EXETER, N. H.:
THE EXETER GAZETTE STEAM PRINTING HOUSE.
1882.



ANNUAL REPORT

—OF—

SELECTMEN, TREASURER,

—AND—

Superintending School Committee

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Town of Salem, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 28th, 1882.

—ALSO—

Report of Overseers of the Poor.

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TOWN OFFICERS.

Town Clerk.

BENJAMIN R. WHEELER.

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.

JOSEPH WEBSTER,

JOEL C. CAREY,

WILLIAM R. WHEELER.

Town Treasurer.

LEVI CLUFF.

Superintending School Committee.

EBEN C. BERRY.

Collector.

NATHAN G. ABBOTT.

Overseer of the Poor.

JOSEPH WEBSTER.

Auditors.

GEORGE C. GORDON,

CHARLES I. BOWKER,

CHARLES T. MAXWELL.

Constables.

CLINTON EWINS,

WILLARD W. MERRILL,

JOHN AUSTIN.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

Whole amount of Assets.

Taxes assessed for the year 1881 are as follows :

State tax,	\$1264 00
County tax,	1889 49
Town tax,	4700 00
School tax,	1106 00
Percentage by law,	370 62
School house tax in No. 6,	182 00
" " No. 7,	26 00
" " No. 2,	131 00
Railroad tax,	306 87
Savings bank tax,	248 52
Literary fund,	100 19
Sale of old hearses,	24 50
Dog tax,	132 00
Non-resident highway tax,	102 90
Bounty on hawks,	10 60
Land redeemed for taxes,	33 96
Received from the County,	335 57
Balance in the Treasury,	389 44
N. G. Abbott Collector for 1880,	1391 50
" Highway Receipts,	137 73
" Interest,	46 00
Wm. G. Crowell, interest,	7 00
Town Hall,	20 00
N. G. Abbott, interest on tax list 1881,	30 00
Non-resident school house tax,	20 91
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	\$13006 80

EXPENDITURES.

Paid on Account of Schools.

District No. 1, Town appropriation,	\$215 72	
Railroad money,	30 68	
Literary fund,	67 90	314 30
2, Town appropriation,	48 16	
Railroad money,	30 68	
Literary fund,	15 19	94 03
3, Town appropriation,	39 80	
Railroad money,	30 68	
Literary fund,	12 53	83 01
4, Town appropriation,	104 80	
Railroad money,	30 68	
Literary fund,	32 93	168 41
5, Town appropriation,	84 27	
Railroad money,	30 68	
Literary fund,	26 60	141 55
6, Town appropriation,	310 06	
Railroad money,	30 68	
Literary fund,	97 81	438 55
7, Town appropriation,	76 82	
Railroad money,	30 68	
Literary fund,	24 24	131 74
8, Town appropriation,	83 72	
Railroad money,	30 68	
Literary fund,	26 47	140 87
9, Town appropriation,	86 72	
Railroad money,	30 68	
Literary fund,	27 40	144 80
10, Town appropriation,	55 93	
Railroad money,	30 68	
Literary fund,	17 71	104 32

Whole amount,

\$1761 58

For Town Clerk.

BENJAMIN R. WHEELER.

For Selectmen.

JOSEPH WEBSTER,
WILLIAM R. WHEELER,
EBEN B. WELLS.

For Town Treasurer.

LEVI CLUFF.

For Overseer of the Poor.

JOSEPH WEBSTER.

Superintending School Committee.

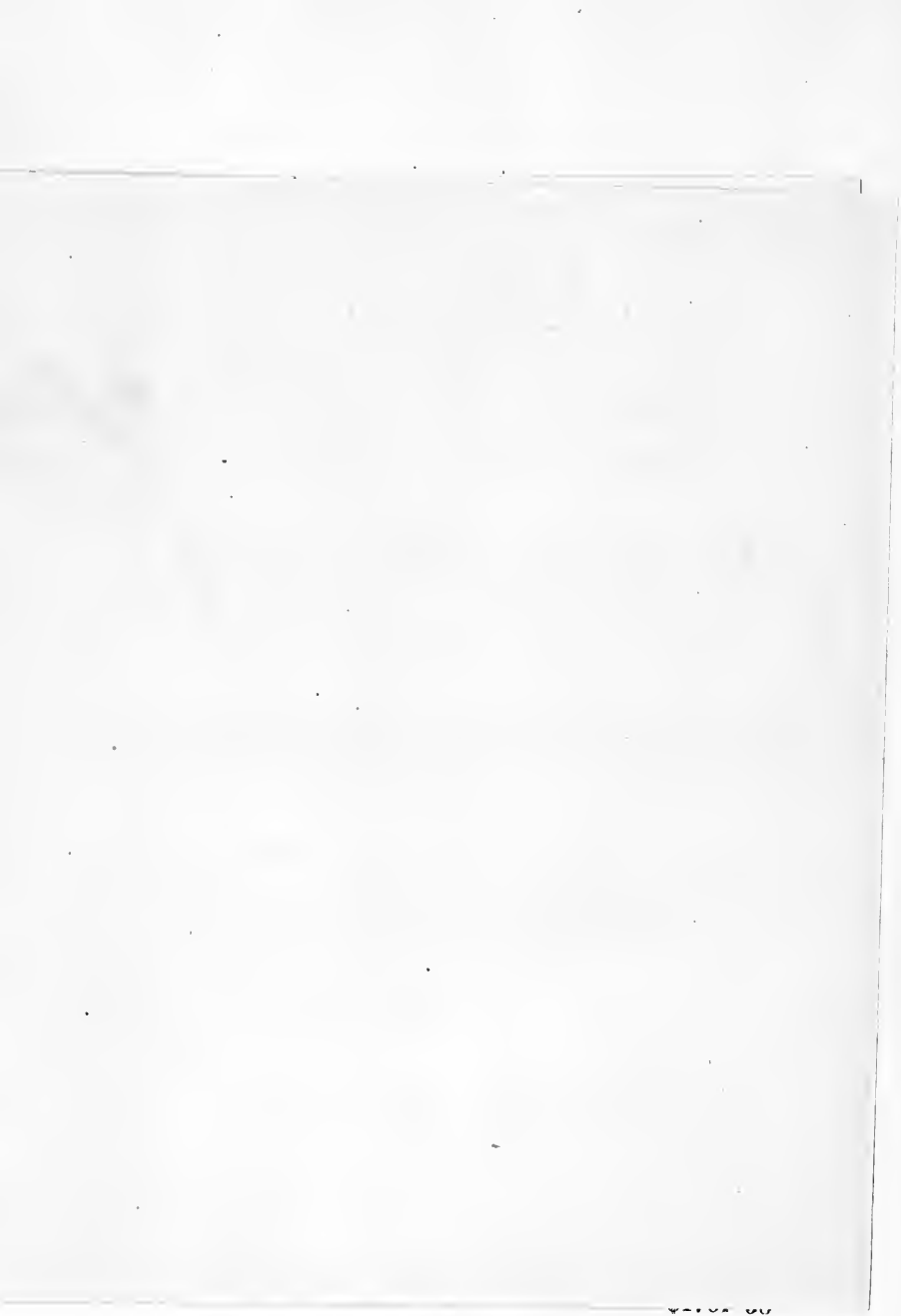
GEORGE A. PERKINS.

For Constables.

NATHAN G. ABBOTT,
JOHN J. HUNT,
JOHN H. TAYLOR,
JESSE C. SILVER.

For Auditors.

MATTHEW H. TAYLOR,
JOHN F. SMITH,
DANIEL D. FISK.



PAID ON ACCOUNT OF CONTINGENCIES.

Wingate & Shaw printing town reports for the year 1881 and 1882,	\$40 00
Wingate & Shaw, printing check list, the year 1881,	8 00
Charlotte A. Duston, interest on note to May 1st, '81,	102 50
Ebenezer Duston, interest on note to May 1, 1881,	102 50
Elizabeth M. Newell, interest on note to May 1, 1881,	25 62
Samuel T. Newell, interest on note to May 1, 1881,	70 87
Florence A. Mirick, interest on note to May 1, 1881,	51 25
Enoch Taylor, part payment of note to Oct. 1, 1881,	300 00
Elizabeth M. Newell, interest on note to May 1, 1881,	51 25
Eliphalet Coburn, interest on note to May 1, 1881,	666 25
Rebecca Hall, note in full to Oct. 1, 1881,	472 69
School Dis. No. 3, part payment of note Nov. 11, '81,	17 00
School Dis. No. 10, interest on note Dec. 7, 1881,	10 00
Joseph W. Emerson, public watering place,	3 00
Edson C. Eastman, books for Town,	4 90
County tax,	1889 4
George C. Gordon, insurance,	12 5
Ranson Coburn, dinners for Selectmen,	7 2
Richard Taylor, lumber and labor on hearse house, North Salem,	15 92
Edson C. Eastman, blank books for town,	28 00
Richard Taylor, carting new hearse from East Derry to North Salem,	2 00
J. C. Ewins, public watering place,	3 00
J. C. Ewins, use of plough on highway,	50
J. C. Eastman, damage to carriage,	50 00
William Stanton, public watering place,	3 00
Clement A. McLaughlin, damage to wagon,	5 00
Walker Haigh, paint for Cemetery gates,	2 50
Washington Kimball, setting posts and making gate for Cemetery at west part of Town,	5 96
John A. Messer, public watering place,	3 00
School District No. 2, school house tax,	125 00

School District No. 6, school house tax,	175 00
State tax,	1264 00
A. Hobbs, varnishing hearse,	15 00
Nathan G. Abbott, Collector, for sale of land for taxes,	71 40
Charles Rogers, public watering place,	3 00
Joshua Conant, balance of services as Superintendent of Alms House for the year 1880,	50 00
W. H. Stack, damage to calf by dog,	10 00
Nelson Emerson, transporting hearse to Haverhill and back,	4 00
Geo. Larrabee, interest on note of school Dis. No. 2,	15 00
Henry Strong, blacksmith bill,	80
Gilman D. Kelloy, public watering place,	3 00
John Woodbury, public watering place,	3 00
Isaac Thom, making Bier for Cemetery at west part of town,	3 50
Joseph Webster, use of horse and wagon,	12 25
Joseph Webster, supplies for Jerry O. Conner,	3 75
Joseph Webster, expense to settle with County Com's.	5 00
Joel C. Cary, use of horse and wagon,	7 00
Joel C. Cary, dinners,	3 00
William R. Wheeler, use of horse and wagon,	5 00
Discount on tax list for 1881,	469 59
Joshua Conant, bill on Alms house account,	200 13
Joshua Conant, bill as Supt. of Alms house in part for the year 1881,	250 00
Nathan G. Abbott, services as collector 1881.	175 00
Freight on hearse from Worcester.	8 80
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	\$6842 12

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Charles Rogers, 266 loads gravel,	10 64
Eben E. Rice, plank and labor,	3 30
Obadiah Dustin, 1188 feet square edged plank,	17 82
Isaiah Woodbury, labor on highway Dis. No. 3,	4 00
Jonathan B. Gardner, repairing roads,	1 95
Hiram Woodbury, repairing roads,	3 25
William B. Kimball, repairing roads,	6 17
Ezra B. Hall, 126 loads gravel,	6 30
Jerome Kelly, labor blasting rocks,	3 00
Levi Cluff, work on highway,	2 87
Matthew H. Taylor, plank for bridge near M. Cullens,	7 30
N. G. Abbott, on account of highway taxes worked out in labor,	137 73
S. S. Shannon, lumber and labor on three bridges in Dis. No. 22,	5 82
Daniel Merrill, timber for bridge,	14 00
Wm. G. Crowell, timber for bridge,	3 60
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	\$227 75

SNOW PATHS.

Charles Head, breaking roads,	3 41
Israel Armstrong, "	2 92
Charles E. Knights, "	12 30
Wm. W. Clark, "	5 85
Charles A. Morris, "	21 15
Isaac Woodbury, "	11 54
George W. Noyes, "	16 90
Isaiah Woodbury, "	8 40
William F. Vickery, "	6 15
E. O. Richardson, "	8 63

Joseph H. Gage,	"		1 50
William B. Kimball,	"		3 55
Stephen Webster,	"		90
David M. Hoyt,	"		7 35
Enoch M. Butler,	"	1880 and 1881,	9 00
George P. Cross,	"		1 80
Stephen Roberts,	"		4 05
Ezra B. Hall,	"		2 25
William D. Bradford,	"		12 60
Jerome Kelley,	"		7 50
Mark P. Thompson,	"		10 38
Forest M. Martin,	"		11 40
Frank Robie,	"		3 98
Hiram Woodbury,	"		9 79
Matthew H. Taylor,	"		14 40
D. M. Thom,	"		15 19
Wm. G. Crowell,	"		2 70
C. W. Jennings,	"		17 62
W. H. Slack,	"		22 72
Clinton Ewins,	"		8 40
Gilman D. Kelley,	"		3 45
Jonathan B. Gardner,	"		3 75
Abner D. Gage,	"		2 10
S. S. Shannon,	"		13 55
Wm. H. Heselton,	"		20 85
Wallace W. Cole,	"		26 45
Alburtis Coburn,	"		4 87
Benjamin A. Newcomb,	"		14 78
Daniel Merrill,	"		13 20

\$367 33

PAID ON ACCOUNT OF TRANSIENT POOR.

Edith Woodbury, for support,	\$139 74
Belinda J. Blake, for Reynolds child,	21 00
Levi W. Taylor, clothing for Reynolds child,	2 57
Levi W. Taylor, goods delivered Horace Tilton,	15 00
Geo. C. Howard, M. D. attendance on Emerson Davis,	20 00
Geo. C. Howard, M. D. attendance on Mrs. Harvey Harris,	13 00
Cash paid E. C. Berry, for book for Johnny Welch,	1 00
Cash paid Belinda J. Blake, for 12 weeks board of Reynolds child to Jan. 28, 1882,	6 00
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	\$218 31

ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Nathan G. Abbott, abatement on tax list of 1880,	\$56 43
Wm. G. Crowell, " " 1879,	37 83
Frank P. Woodbury; " " 1881,	9 47
Town Farm tax, " " 1881,	58 04
Benjamin E. Chase, abatement on dog tax,	1 00
Nancy B. Tibbetts, " " "	1 00
Lewis A. Clough, " " "	97
Nathan G. Abbott, " tax list of 1881,	27 88
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	\$192 62

TOWN OFFICERS.

Jonathan A. Martin, sealer of weights and measures,	\$4 65
Benjamin R. Wheeler, services as supervisor to March 8, 1881,	6 00
Joseph Wheeler, services as Town Clerk in 1880 and 1881 in full,	8 50
Joseph Webster, postage and paper,	1 60
Joseph Webster, services as Selectman in part,	60 00
Joel C. Carey, services as Selectman,	50 00
William R. Wheeler, services as Selectman,	40 00
Matthew H. Taylor, services as Moderator, March meeting, 1881,	2 00
Matthew H. Taylor, services as Auditor for the year ending March 1881,	2 00
D. M. Thom, services as agent,	6 18
E. C. Berry, services as Superintendent of schools,	75 00
Levi Cluff, services as Town Treasurer,	35 00
Benjamin R. Wheeler, services as Town Clerk,	50 00
Joseph Webster, services as Selectman in full,	35 00
Joel C. Carey, balance services as Selectman,	35 00
William R. Wheeler, balance services as Selectman,	20 00
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	\$430 93

BOUNTIES.

Calvin V. Jennings, bounty on Hawk,	20
Charles H. Webster,	20
Milton Kelley, three	60
John A. Peabody,	20
Stephen Baily,	20
J. W. Armstrong,	20
Rufus H. Baily,	20
Fred M. Roberts,	20
Edward L. Gordon, three	60
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	\$2 60

RECAPITULATION.

Whole amount of assets,	\$13,006 80
Paid on account of Schools,	\$1,761 58
Contingencies,	6,842 12
Roads and Bridges,	227 75
Snow Paths,	367 33
Transient Poor,	218 31
Abatement of taxes,	192 62
Town Officers,	430 93
Bounties,	2 60
Cash in hands of Treasurer,	1,726 36
Due from N. G. Abbott, collector of taxes	
for 1881,	1,207 20
Interest on same,	30 00
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	\$13,006 80

OUTSTANDING NOTES AGAINST THE TOWN.

Eliphalet Coburn, note and interest to Mar. 1, 1882,	\$13541	66
Charlotte A. Duston,	2083	33
Ebenezer Duston,	2083	33
Elizabeth M. Newell,	520	83
Samuel T. Newell,	1562	50
Florence A. Mirick,	1041	66
Enoch Taylor,	1261	36
School District No. 10,	204	16
“ 2,	221	30
“ 3,	140	00
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		\$22660 13

DUE THE TOWN.

Nathan G. Abbott, Collector taxes, 1881,	\$1207	20
“ “ Interest,	31	00
From County of Rockingham,	35	00
Due on account of land bought for taxes on		
Wm. G. Crowell's tax list,	284	46
Interest on same,	89	78
Due on account of land bought for taxes,		
1880,	44	04
Balance in Treasurer's hands,	1726	36
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		\$3417 84
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Leaving a balance against the town of	\$19,242	29

JOSEPH WEBSTER,	}	Selectmen of Salem, N. H.
JOEL C. CAREY,		
WILLIAM R. WHEELER,		

TREASURER'S REPORT.

DR.

1881.		
March 1st, Cash on hand,	\$389	44
8th, received of L. B. McLaughlin,		
for old hearse,	7	50
8th, George Larrabee for one set of		
hearse wheels,	17	00
Rec'd for land sold for taxes,	33	96
of State Treasurer, Railroad tax,	306	87
" " Savings Bank tax,	248	52
" " Literary fund,	100	19
" " Bounty on hawks,	10	60
County " for board of Coun-		
ty paupers,	335	57
of Wm. G. Crowell for interest,	7	00
for rent of Town Hall, from April 1,		
1881 to April 1, 1882,	20	00
Nathan G. Abbott, collec.or taxes, 1880,	1575	23
" " " 1881,	8717	72
		\$11769 60

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By orders of Selectmen,	10043	24
By cash in Treasury,	1726	36
		\$11769 60

LEVI CLUFF, Town Treasurer.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF ALMS HOUSE.

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By cash paid for Groceries,	69 78 .
Meat,	72 99
Hay,	108 60
Grain,	31 70
Tobacco,	23 90
Boots and shoes,	20 30
Labor,	90 00
Blacksmith,	12 95
Dry goods,	13 90
Farming tools,	5 85
Fish,	3 90
Pigs,	21 00
Soap,	5 50
Oil.	1 75
Filing saws,	1 45
Butchering,	3 50
Salt,	2 85
Seeds,	1 05
Standing grass,	8 00
School books,	1 05
Nails,	1 85
Butter,	10 80
Scythe,	1 00
Tin ware,	1 75
Pasturing,	4 50
Carpenter,	1 25
Room paper,	1 04
Labor on bridge,	1 50
Difference between cows,	6 00
Repairing harness,	75
Shingles,	1 96
Mason work,	1 40

Horace Reynolds,	2 50
Use of bull,	3 00
Horse blankets,	2 00
Cider barrel,	1 00
H. R. Webster, for grain,	383 23
C. I. Bowker, groceries,	93 92
B. F. Mitchell, pump and labor putting in,	13 00
Lime,	50
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	\$1032 97

DR.

Cash received for milk,	698 24
Pork,	81 60
Calves,	13 00
Eggs,	12 55
Potatoes,	27 45
of the Town,	200 13
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	\$1032 97

JOSHUA CONANT, Superintendent.

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR.

Paid Supt. Almshouse balance services in 1880,	\$50 00
Services in part, 1881,	250 00
on account of transient poor,	218 31
Balance paid on account Supt.	200 13
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	\$718 44

Cash received of County of Rockingham,	335 57
Due from County,	35 00
Balance against the town,	347 87
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	\$718 44

Due Supt. of Almshouse, April 1, 1882, \$50 00

JOSEPH WEBSTER, Overseer of the Poor,

The undersigned having examined the foregoing accounts find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

GEORGE C. GORDON,	} Auditors.
CHARLES I. BOWKER,	
CHARLES T. MAXWELL,	

PERSONAL PROPERTY AT ALMSHOUSE.

Five and one-half tons English hay,	\$121 00
Three and one-half tons Meadow hay,	35 00
Two bushels rye,	2 20
Five and one-half bushels corn,	5 50
Two and one-half bushels beans,	10 50
Three bags meal,	4 50
One barrel flour,	8 50
One and one-half tons straw,	30 00
Five hundred lbs. shorts,	6 25
One horse,	100 00
Ten cows,	400 00
One set blocks,	2 50
One robe,	2 00
Twelve bags,	2 50
One wagon,	60 00
One harness,	15 00
One draft harness,	16 00
Five hay-forks,	4 75
Three shovels,	1 50
Three manure forks,	1 50
Three crow bars,	3 00
Four wood saws,	3 00
Two hand saws,	2 00
Ten chains,	6 00
One manure hook and flail,	1 00
Five rakes,	1 00
Three hoes,	1 00
One set measures,	50
One barrel,	50
Ten cords wood,	35 00
Ten cords wood prepared,	40 00
Three shoats,	12 00
Thirty fowls,	15 00

Whiffletree and chains,	2 00
Stone hammer,	1 00
Four wedges,	1 00
One mowing machine,	50 00
One harrow,	2 50
One cultivator,	2 50
Scythes and snaths,	3 50
Grindstone,	2 50
Drag,	1 00
Bush scythe and snath,	1 50
Three plows,	20 00
Brush and comb,	1 00
One wrench,	75
One horse rake,	2 00
Two ox yokes,	1 00
One wheelbarrow,	4 00
Two brass kettles,	3 00
Fetters and halters,	2 00
One tub,	50
Seventy-five lbs. ham,	9 00
Four hundred lbs. salt pork,	40 00
Three pork barrels,	1 50
Seventy lbs. lard,	8 40
Six lbs. butter,	2 00
Two barrels cider and casks,	8 50
Two barrels vinegar and three casks,	14 00
Oil can,	1 00
Ladders,	5 00
Garden rake,	75
Five baskets,	80
Sixty bushels potatoes,	66 00
Twelve bushels small potatoes,	6 00
Soap and barrel,	1 00
Two wash boards,	50

Sugar,	2 00
Tea,	80
Churns and pails,	5 00
Cheese press,	1 00
Butter box,	1 00
Tray and bowl,	1 00
Tin ware,	12 00
Two lanterns,	1 80
Stone jars,	2 00
Flat irons,	2 00
Lamps and candlesticks,	1 50
Steelyards,	50
Mortar,	50
Fourteen feather beds,	30 00
Quilts and comforters,	25 00
Twenty-eight pillows,	8 00
Forty-two pillow cases,	4 00
Eight bolsters,	2 00
Fifteen pair sheets,	5 00
Wearing apparel,	35 00
Chairs and tables,	10 00
Thirty-six towels,	2 50
Nine bedsteads,	9 00
Nine straw beds,	4 50
Two clocks and mirrors,	2 50
Trunks, chests and drawers,	7 00
Six Jugs,	1 00
Crockery ware,	5 00
Warming and bed pans,	2 00
Apple parer,	50
Cranberry rake,	1 00
Eight axes,	2 50
Thirty-five flour barrels,	5 25
One cross cut saw,	1 00

Five milk cans,	3 00
Augers,	1 75
Clothes wringer,	2 00
Two broad axes,	1 00
Lot carpenters tools,	6 00
Hammer and stone tools,	2 00
Old Iron,	1 00
Three brooms,	50
One side board,	2 00
Two iron kettles,	1 00
Stoves and funnel,	18 00
Clothes line,	1 00
White wash brush,	1 00
Rubber cushion,	2 00
Clothes basket,	50
Lot tubs,	2 00
Blankets,	3 00
Oak and pine plank,	6 00
Three picks,	2 85
Horse sled,	20 00
Farm wagon,	15 00
Corn cutter,	1 00
Cart body,	10 00

\$1511 85

APPRAISAL OF PROPERTY OWNED BY TOWN.

Town Farm, valued at	\$4,500 00
Woodland,	150 00
Town House,	1,000 00
Personal Property at Alms House.	1,512 00
Town Safe,	200 00
Town Hearses,	700 00
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	\$8,062 00

SCHOOL HOUSE TAX IN DISTRICT No. 2.

Whole amount assessed,	\$130 50
Collection and abatements,	5 50
Paid the District,	125 00 130 50

SCHOOL HOUSE TAX IN DISTRICT NO. 6.

Whole amount assessed,	182 00
Collection and abatements,	7 00
Paid the District,	175 00 182 00

SCHOOL HOUSE TAX IN DISTRICT NO. 7.

Whole amount assessed,	26 00
Collection and abatements,	1 00
Due the District,	25 00 26 00

JOSEPH WEBSTER,	} Selectmen of Salem.
JOEL C. CAREY.	
WILLIAM R. WHEELER,	

PINE GROVE CEMETERY.

Cash received of former Board,	31 10	
for lots,	23 75	
		54 85

Paid Nelson Emerson,	25 00	
Cash on hand,	29 85	54 85

JOSEPH WEBSTER,	}	Selectmen of Salem.
JOEL C. CAREY,		
WILLIAM R. WHEELER,		

REPORT

—OF—

Superintending School Committee

—OF THE—

Town of Salem, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 28th, 1882.

REPORT OF THE

Superintending School Committee.

To the citizens of the Town of Salem.

In putting this annual report into your hands, we desire to do so in the most fitting manner possible. And hence, we shall not cumber it with any unnecessary material. We want to make two suggestions here.

1st. About Teachers.

There is by no means a dearth of competent teachers. Teachers fully competent to teach any school, can be obtained through the different bureau's of education, without extra expense to the Town.

2nd. Prudential Committee.

I would urge upon the committee the necessity of their looking carefully after the school property. Also the necessity of their regarding the law as found in the (General Laws, chapter 89, Sec. 16.) This law says, that "every teacher, at the close of his school and at the end of each term thereof, shall make a return of such register, or record to the school committee of the town, who shall give to him a certificate thereof; and no teacher shall receive payment for his services until such certificate is produced and delivered to the prudential committee."

This law is very essential, if the town would give the superintendent a chance to do his whole duty. As it is, it is often difficult to obtain the register properly filled out, because, the teacher has been paid, prematurely.

DISTRICT No 1.

Has been under the administration of Miss Mary E. Noyes of Hampstead during the whole year. And during the greater portion of the year, the school has been very successfully managed.

DISTRICT No. 2.

Miss Nellie M. Spurr of Methuen, Mass. taught the school during the summer term, and was eminently successful in her work. Her scholars became very thorough in their studies.

The winter term was under the care of Mr. Fred N. Stickney of Methuen, Mass. A new school house has been built here during the year at a cost of \$260.00.

DISTRICT No. 3.

The teacher for the summer term was Miss Emma F. Goodhue. Miss Goodhue spared no toil to advance her pupils to the highest possible attainment in their work. Miss Emma B. Gordon finished out the school year.

DISTRICT No. 4.

Good work has been accomplished in this district all through the school year. Miss Nellie J. Morse has been the teacher of both terms. And has shown herself at home in the school-room, to the advantage of the scholars.

DISTRICT No. 5.

Miss Lottie E. Harris of Windham continued her labors through the summer term. And Miss M. Edna Hazeltine of Ayers Village, Mass., took the winter term.

DISTRICT No. 6.

Grammar department. This school lost a great amount of time, during the first term, by reason of the fact, that the scholars were not disposed to be obedient to the rules

of the school. Miss N. M. Moore of Derry was the teacher of the first term.

Mr. Frank J. DeMeritt of Methuen took charge of the school during the second term, and a portion of the third. The last term was finished by Miss Belle D. Macgregor of Derry. The last two terms, were in advance of the first.

Primary department. The summer term was under the care of Miss J. Emma Stevens of Centre Harbor, and was as usual very satisfactory the remaining two terms were conducted by Miss Kate T. Clarke of Auburn, N. H.

DISTRICT No. 7.

Mrs. Della Kimball taught the summer term. And Miss Emma F. Goodhue the winter term. Both terms were productive of good results. We think the last terms, especially worthy of notice.

DISTRICT No. 8.

Mrs. Senie S. Mason has continued her successful labors in this school for the year.

DISTRICT No. 9.

Miss Belle Macdonald, began her work of teaching here, and taught the full school year. Miss Macdonald demanded a correct pronunciation of all words, and a correctness in all work which cannot be too highly commended.

DISTRICT No. 10.

Miss Alice M. Little was employed to teach the first or summer term here. And the school was a failure. Miss Little is an amiable kind hearted lady, and her education was ample for the demands of the school. But she lacked the ability of imparting instruction. Miss Emma F. Goodhue was introduced for the second term and labored indefatigably to restore the school to its former status.

ROLL OF HONOR

DISTRICT No. 1.

Hattie F. Austin, Lewellyn S. Martin.

DISTRICT No. 3.

Angie B. Head, Charles Pinkham, Mary D. Nicholas.

DISTRICT No. 4.

Cora Taylor, Eva Taylor, William Taylor, Henry Taylor, Chas. Rolf, Effie Taylor.

DISTRICT No. 6.

Grammar.—Willis Hall, Albert J. Wells.

Primary.—Agatha S. Chase, Geo. MacDonald.

DISTRICT No. 7.

Alice Paguin.

DISTRICT No. 8.

Willie Smith, James Littlejohn, Jesse Littlejohn, Lizzie Hall, Nellie Hall.

DISTRICT No. 10.

Hattie May Plummer.

Any information not herein given will cheerfully be furnished if possible to any who may desire. And thanking all for kindness and thoughtfulness during my time of service as your committee. I close the record.

E. C. BERRY,

Superintending School Committee.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

DISTRICTS.	TERM.	TEACHERS.	No. of Weeks.	No. of Scholars.	Average Attendance.	Wages of Teachers per Month.	Visits of S. S. Committee.	Visits of Pru. Committee.	Visits of Others.	PRUDENTIAL COMMITTEE.
No. 1.	Summer.	Mary E. Noyes.	9	46	39	\$30	3	1	12	Adams Martin.
"	Fall.	"	10	40	36	34	2	1	18	
"	Winter.	"	12 ³ / ₄	49	35	36	2	1		George Larrabee.
"	Summer.	Nellie M. Spurr.	7 ³ / ₄	9	8	20	2			James H. Collins.
"	Fall	Fred W. Stickney.	11 ³ / ₄	20	17	20	2	1	11	Thomas Taylor.
"	Summer.	Emma F. Goodhue.	9	20	16	20	2	1	13	
"	Fall.	Emma B. Gordon.	10	21	18	28	2	1	14	Horace Hunt.
"	Summer.	Nellie J. Morse.	14	22	18	32	2	1	14	
"	Winter.	"	11	14	13	29	2	1	20	
"	Summer.	Lottie E. Harris.	12	15	14	28	2	1		W. W. Merrill.
"	Winter.	M. Edna Haseltine.								
"	Summer.	Miss N. M. Moore.	9	30	24	32	2		15	
"	Fall.	F. J. DeMeritt.	8	31	29	44	2		18	
"	Winter.	Belle D. Macgregor.	7	28	24	40	2			
"	Summer.	J. Emma Stevens.	9	38	32	32	2		13	
"	Fall.	Kate T. Clarke.	7 ⁸ / ₈	37	30	30	2		19	
"	Winter.	"	8 ⁸ / ₈	37	34	30	2		9	Jessie Burgin.
"	Summer.	Della Kimball.	8	10	8 ³ / ₄	27	2			
"	Winter.	Emma F. Goodhue.	10	12	8	27	2		11	G. W. Noyes.
"	Summer.	Senie S. Mason.	12	16	13	30	2		8	
"	Winter.	"	9	21	19	30	2	1	10	Philip Ayer.
"	Summer.	A. Belle Macdonald.	10	11	10	25	2			
"	Winter.	"	9 ¹ / ₂	8	7	25	1			
"	Summer.	Alice M. Little.	8 ⁴ / ₄	21	16	22	2		26	Robert Chase.
"	Fall.	Emma F. Goodhue.	11	19	17	22	1		26	

STATISTICAL REPORT.

DISTRICTS.	TERMS.	No. Studying	Reading	Spelling.	Pennmanship.	Ar. thmetie.	Geography.	Grammar.	History.	Algebra.	Physiology.	Rhetoric.	Philosophy.	Vocal Music.	Bookkeeping.	Composition.	Drawing.
		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. 1.	Summer.	46	46	31	36	34	15	2									
"	Fall.	40	40	33	33	30	14	2	5								
"	Winter.	49	49	36	43	35	29	3	11								
No. 2.	Summer.	9	9	4	5	5	3										
"	Fall.	8	8	5	6	6	4	1									
No. 3.	Summer.	19	20	15	18	7	10	4									3
"	Fall.	21	21	16	19	8	14	4		4				1	1	6	
No. 4.	Summer.	21	21	14	6	1											
"	Winter.	22	22	14	6	1											
No. 5.	Summer.	14	14	8	9	9	4										
"	Winter.	15	15	10	10	10	5	1								7	
No. 6.	Summer.	30	30	30	29	18	20	9	2								
Grammar.	Fall.	30	30	28	30	14	18	6	3	3			2				
"	Winter.	28	28	28	26	18	16	4	3	4			2				
Primary.	Summer.	38	38	21	28	6											1
"	Fall.	37	37	21	28	19											19
"	Winter.	37	37	21	28	20								37	37		20
No. 7.	Summer.	10	10	4	4	3											
"	Winter.	12	12	10	10	7	6						1				
No. 8.	Summer.	16	16	10	12	5	6										
"	Winter.	21	21	11	15	8	10										
No. 9.	Summer.	11	11	10	10	7	5										
"	Winter.	8	8	8	8	7	5										
No. 10.	Summer.	21	21	10	18	5	3	2									
"	Fall.	19	19	13	16	5	4							1			





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